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Einstein, Albert (1879-1955), German-born American physicist and Nobel laureate, best known as the creator of the special and general theories of relativity and for his bold hypothesis concerning...

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By: Sullivan, Anne Marie; Ferri, Giuliano. **Albert Einstein** (1-59084-140-9). 2003, pN. 31p. 23 Color Photographs. Reading Level (Lexile): 680.

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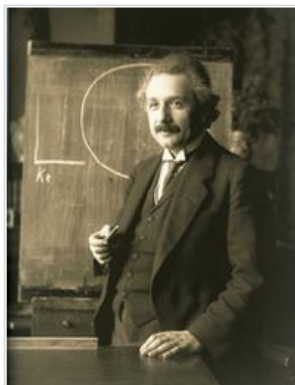


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Albert Einstein was a theoretical physicist. Theoretical physics is a branch of physical science that uses mathematics to explain natural events. Einstein worked on various theories. His theory of relativity is well known around the world. His findings continue to form the basis of modern research.



Albert Einstein in 1921. Ferdinand

Early Life

Einstein was born in Germany to Jewish parents, Pauline and Hermann Einstein. He was a curious child, fascinated by nature. Einstein studied at the Luitpold Gymnasium in Munich. During his high school years, Einstein was an average student, but excelled at math and physics. He found foreign languages difficult. Einstein taught himself math with the help of his uncle Jacob. He practiced solving problems during summer holidays.

Einstein became friends with Max Talmud, a medical student. They often discussed scientific and philosophical topics. Talmud helped Einstein improve in math. He gave Einstein various reading books. This period encouraged Einstein's interest in physics.

Work

In 1901, Einstein became a citizen of Switzerland. He worked at the Swiss patent office. He received his doctorate degree in physics from the University of Zurich. Then, Einstein taught physics at various universities. He also did research in physics. In 1905, he published three major findings. One of these, the theory of relativity, became extremely famous. It changed the field of modern physics.

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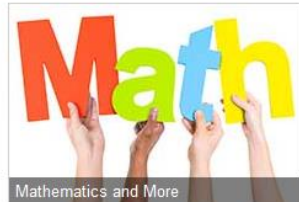
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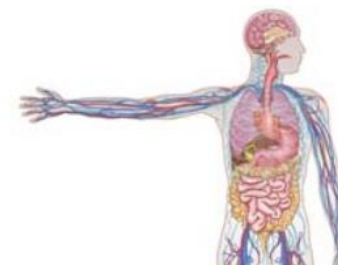
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Eclipse, in astronomy, the obscuring of one celestial body by another, particularly that of the sun or a planetary satellite. Two kinds of eclipses involve the earth: those of the moon, or lunar ...

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2. Edison's Eclipse Adventure.



Periodical

By: Cottam, Stella. *dig into history*. Jan2017, Vol. 19 Issue 1, p22-26. 5p. 2 Color Photographs, 4 Black and White Photographs. Reading Level (Lexile): 1150.

The article offers information on inventor Thomas Edison along with his involvement in expedition related to observation of solar **eclipse** in Rawlins, Wyoming Territory of July 1878 and invention ...

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By: Manges, Zach. *Jack & Jill*. Jul/Aug2017, p22-23. 2p. Reading Level (Lexile): 1170.

The article offers information on the total solar **eclipse** will occur on August 21, 2017 including it will be visible in totality, during **eclipse** birds stop singing, flowers close and temperature ...

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4. Darkness IN THE Daytime: This summer, a total solar eclipse will be seen across the U.S.



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By: Ong, Sandy. *Scholastic Math*. 5/8/2017, Vol. 37 Issue 10, p6-7. 2p. Reading Level (Lexile): 1330.

The article offers information on the Great American Eclipse and views of video producer David Makepeace on the same. Topics discussed include event of total solar **eclipse** and its passage from Or...

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by Zach Manges

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